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For the last 5 or 6 years everytime I get an increase in my check my spenddown goes beyond what my check is, even with the raise. I think it is important to get a cost of living increase, because every year the cost of living increases but my check dollar amount stays the same.

I am currently receiving \$954.00 monthly, that is after they remove \$99.00 out for the Medicare premium, and then I have to pay an additional \$404.00 out of the \$954.00 so I have \$550.00 for other bills and spending money.

So that is why I am a proponent for the cost of living raise regarding Medicaid spenddown.

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